Introduced by Assembly Member Nunez

February 21, 2003

An act to amend Section 3507 of the Government Code, relating to employer-employee relations.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 1156, as introduced, Nunez. Meyers-Milias-Brown Act: local public agencies: regulations.

The Meyers-Milias-Brown Act authorizes a local public agency to adopt reasonable rules and regulations after consultation in good faith with representatives of an employer-employee organization or organizations for the administration of employer-employee relations under the act.

This bill would authorize a public agency to adopt reasonable rules and regulations after consultation in good faith with representatives of a recognized employer-employee organization or organizations.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 3507 of the Government Code is 2 amended to read:
- 3 3507. (a) A public agency may adopt reasonable rules and a
- 4 regulations after consultation in good faith with representatives of
- 5 an a recognized employee organization or organizations for the

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administration of employer-employee relations under this chapter (commencing with Section 3500).

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The rules and regulations may include provisions for (a) verifying all of the following:

- (1) Verifying that an organization does in fact represent employees of the public agency (b) verifying agency.
- (2) Verifying the official status of employee organization officers and representatives (c) recognition representatives.
- (3) Recognition of employee-organizations (d) exclusive organizations.
- (4) Exclusive recognition of employee organizations formally recognized pursuant to a vote of the employees of the agency or an appropriate unit thereof, subject to the right of an employee to represent himself or herself as provided in Section 3502 (e) 16 additional 3502.
- (5) Additional procedures for the resolution of disputes 18 involving wages, hours and other terms and conditions of employment (f) access employment.
- (6) Access of employee organization officers 21 representatives to work locations (g) use locations.
- (7) Use of official bulletin boards and other means of 23 communication by employee organizations (h) furnishing organizations.
 - (8) Furnishing nonconfidential information pertaining to employment relations to employee organizations (i) such organizations.
 - (9) Any other matters as that are necessary to carry out the purposes of this chapter.

Exclusive

- (b) Exclusive recognition of employee organizations formally 32 recognized as majority representatives pursuant to a vote of the employees may be revoked by a majority vote of the employees only after a period of not less than 12 months following the date of such recognition.
- 36 No
- 37 (c) No public agency shall unreasonably withhold recognition of employee organizations.